



**Request for City Council Committee Action
From the City Attorney's Office**

Date: September 25, 2014
To: Ways & Means/Budget Committee and Committee of the Whole
Referral to:

Subject: *Lindsey Hall v. City of Minneapolis*
Court File No.: n/a

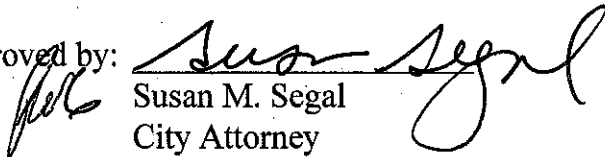
Recommendation: That the City Council approve a settlement of a claim by Lindsey Hall, by payment of \$6,000.00 payable to Lindsey Hall and her attorneys, Palmer-O'Dea., LLC, from Fund/Org. 06900-1500100-602013-145675 and authorize the City Attorney's Office to execute any documents necessary to effectuate settlement.

Previous Directives: None.

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Presenter in Committee: Susan M. Segal, City Attorney

Financial Impact:(Check those that apply)

- ☐ No financial impact (If checked, go directly to Background/Supporting Information).
☐ Action requires an appropriation increase to the _____ Capital Budget or _____
Operating Budget.
☐ Action provides increased revenue for appropriation increase.
☐ Action requires use of contingency or reserves.
☐ Business Plan: _____ Action is within the plan. _____ Action requires a change to
plan.
☒ Other financial impact (Explain): Payment from Fund/Org. 06900-1500100-602013-145675
☐ Request provided to department's finance contact when provided to the Committee
Coordinator.

Community Impact: Other

Background/Supporting Information:

This claim arises out of an accident that occurred on April 30, 2013, between a Public Works street sweeper and a car driven by Lindsey Hall. The street sweeper was proceeding north on Grand Avenue near its intersection with 24th Street when it was involved in a collision with Lindsey Hall, who was driving eastbound on 24th Street.

Ms. Hall sustained injuries in the accident. She sought and received medical care for these injuries and incurred medical bills in excess of \$9,000.00.

After negotiation with her attorneys, we have negotiated a tentative settlement of Ms. Hall's claim in the amount of \$6,000.00. This tentative settlement has been discussed with the Public Works Department and they are in agreement with the terms. We believe that this settlement is in the best interests of the City and recommend its approval.

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